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TO : Deputy Assistant Director for Operations DATE: 6 July 1951

FROM : Chief, Foreign Documents Division

SUBJECT: CIA Holdings of Russian and Satellite Publications

REF : Memorandum for Deputy Director from Asst. Director for
Collection and Dissemination dtd 26 June 51, same subject

1. Reference memorandum recommends that OCD be authorized to allow subject holdings, with certain security restrictions, to be included in the Library of Congress catalogue. FDD would concur in the central cataloging by the Library of Congress of CIA holdings of Russian and Satellite monographs and books. However, it is unnecessary to make available holdings of Russian and Satellite serial publications, for in most cases these are already available to the Library of Congress. Making these available would create an extremely difficult operating problem for FDD with consequent loss in timeliness to intelligence.

2. It is recommended that you do not concur in subject memorandum as now written.



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